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Duggirala et al. )  
Serial No.: 09/275,502 )  
Filed: March 24, 1999 )  
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR )  
HIGH-LEVEL TEST PLANNING )  
FOR LAYOUT )

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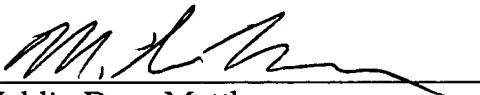
In response to the Official Action mailed March 29, 2001 in the above captioned patent application, the Applicant respectfully submits herewith one (1) sheet of red-lined proposed drawing amendments to Figure 5B. The Applicant respectfully asserts that no new matter is added as a result of the above red-line amendments and respectfully requests the Examiner's review and approval thereof.

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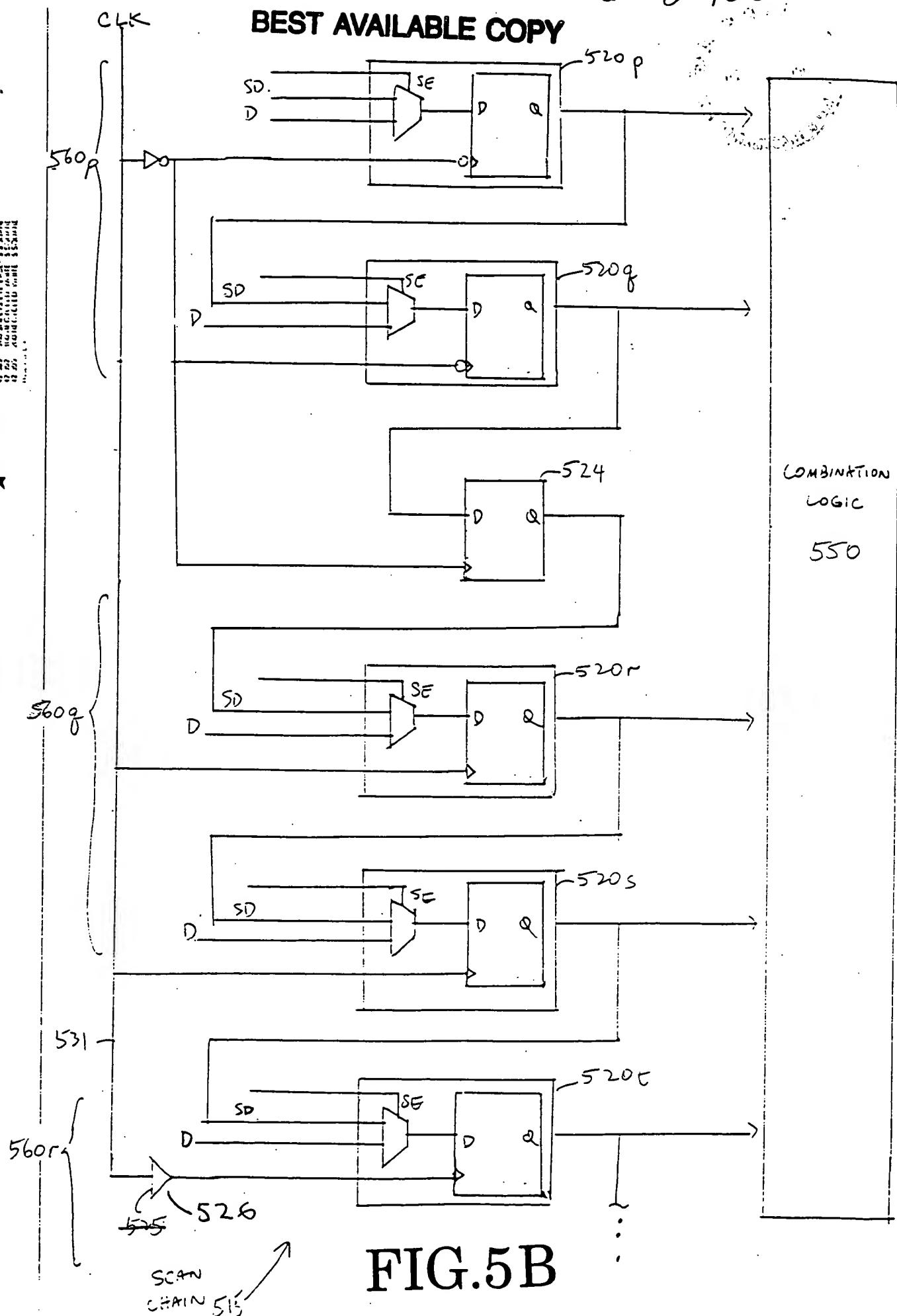
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